

The Wings Like Eagles Foundation



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The Wings Like Eagles Foundation Announces 2007 Grant Awards

Eight local charities to receive over \$92,000 in funding

TUCSON (AZ) –The Wings Like Eagles Foundation (the Foundation) has awarded grants to eight charitable organizations totaling more than \$92,000, it was announced today by foundation President Christopher W. Clements.

“This is an exciting time for our Foundation,” said Clements. “Surpassing a half a million dollars in grants is a testament to the dedication and collaboration of our employee family.”

The Wings Like Eagles Foundation Board awarded the following grants for 2007:

- \$15,000 to **BAG IT** to assist with Program Services in Tucson.
- \$15,500 to **Arizona Children’s Association** for Program Funding to support the Kinship and Adoption Resource and Education Family Center.
- \$12,000 to **Open Inn, Inc.** earmarked for the Bridges Program.
- \$11,500 to **The Giving Tree Outreach Program** to assist with the Summer Feeding Program.
- \$10,460 to **Therapeutic Riding of Tucson** to support their Tanque Verde Rider program.
- \$10,000 to **Habitat for Humanity Tucson** earmarked for their High School Build Program.
- \$10,000 to **The Brewster Center Domestic Violence Services, Inc.** to help build the capacity of their Wings of Freedom Supportive Housing Program.
- \$7,600 to **El Rio Foundation** earmarked for the Back to School Immunization Clinics and supplies for the Adopt-A-Family Program.

“The KARE Family Center, a program of Arizona’s Children Association in collaboration with Casey Family Programs, greatly appreciates the support of the Wings Like Eagles Foundation,” said Janet Fuhrman, Director of Operations for Southern Arizona. “This grant award will provide guardianship clinics, parenting skills and support groups for kinship and adoptive families in Tucson. Together we are making a difference in our community.”

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About the Foundation

In memory of the late William M. Clements, founder of Golden Eagle Distributors, Inc., the Foundation was created to support distinct community organizations that engage in the enhancement of child welfare, education, the arts, the spirit, the advancement of liberty, and general community goodwill. Over the past five years the Foundation has awarded more than **\$730,000** to **217** Arizona non-profit organizations.

The Foundation serves the communities of its founding corporation, Golden Eagle Distributors, Inc. – which include but are not limited to, Tucson, Casa Grande, Buckeye, Flagstaff, Globe and Show Low and is principally funded through direct contributions of its directors and employees.

To be eligible for a donation from The Wings Like Eagles Foundation, organizations must enhance the community through child welfare, education, the arts, the spirit, the advancement of liberty, and community goodwill.

Golden Eagle Distributors has been the exclusive distributor of Anheuser-Busch products across most of Arizona since its creation in 1974. The family-owned company is headquartered in Tucson with offices in Buckeye, Casa Grande, Flagstaff, Globe and Show Low, Arizona.

For more information about Golden Eagle Distributors, Inc. or the Foundation please visit www.twle.org.

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